GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS
LOK SABHA

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YOUTH AWARDS
AMBATI BRAHMANAIAH

Will the Minister of YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS be pleased to state:

(a) the names of awards of national level for youth;

(b) whether any awards are given to youths who impart exemplary services;

(c) if so, the details thereof indicating the number of such awards given every year for the said service;

(d) whether such awards to youths are given on the recommendations of the State Governments;

(e) if so, the details thereof; and

(f) the steps proposed for increasing the number of these awards ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS(SHRI PON. RADHAKIRISHNAN)

(a) to (f): National Youth Awards are given away every year to a maximum of fifty youth for their exemplary services in social development. Nominations for these awards are received from State Governments and some reputed organisations.The awards comprise a medal, a scroll and Rs.10,000/-. There is no proposal at present to increase the maximum limit of the number of awards.